

Experienced Planner

We have an opportunity for an experienced Planner, with a minimum of 3 years experience, to join our busy team, providing high level planning advice to public consultants and staff, and support the Manager and Senior Planners in the delivery of the District Plan work stream. We are interested in hearing from Senior Planners and those wanting to develop further in their planning career.

This role would suit a Planner with the following:

- a recognised qualification in Resource Management Planning at the tertiary degree level
- confident in knowledge of the RMA and LGA processes
- comprehensive understanding of plan changes and resource consent processes as well as proven interpersonal skills
- ability to achieve collaboration and cooperation
- competent advising and writing skills
- eligibility to gain full membership to the New Zealand Planning Institute

We are looking for someone who enjoys both working in a small team and autonomously as well as contributing to the wider WDC whanau.

At Whangarei District Council we take our reputation as a lifestyle destination seriously and consider a range of flexible working and work/life balance options for those that want to work in a professional and progressive environment while still having the time to take advantage of everything our district offers. We provide a competitive salary, a supportive learning environment and the opportunity to work with a team initiating, building and operating innovative and challenging projects.

Whangarei is a district on the rise. It is Northland's only city and largest commercial centre. Nestled between the forest clad hills at the heart of the beautiful Whangarei Harbour, nowhere in the district is more than 40 kilometres away from our spectacular coastline and commuting to WDC's CBD location is a breeze. With lower median house prices, reputable schools, an outstanding natural environment and great, constantly developing facilities, there's a lot that'll make you 'Love it Here!'

If you are ready to make a difference in the community we serve, to be challenged as a professional and to get more balance out of life, Apply Now. Successful applicants need to have NZ residency or a valid NZ work visa.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact the People and Capability team on: (09) 430 4200 or 0800 932 463.

To apply for this position go to <http://careers.wdc.govt.nz> or click the apply now button.

Applications close 5 pm Wednesday, 27 January 2021.

Rob Forlong
CHIEF EXECUTIVE